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[CHA]UTAUQUA COURSE COMING THREE DAYS' ENTERTAINMENT

[PLA]NS COMPLETED FOR [SPL]ENDID ATTRACTIONS

[SPLEN]DID PROGRAM TO BE PRESENTED TO PEOPLE OF NEW SMYRNA AND VICINITY JAN. 29 AND 31 AND FEB. 1.

Under the management of substantial business men, and endorsed by the Woman's club, the Parent-Teachers' club and the public school, the first annual chautauqua course will be presented to the people of New Smyrna Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, January 29 and 31 and February 1, affording an afternoon and evening performance each day.

The Radcliffe bureau, with headquarters in Washington, D. C., will furnish the attractions and will send a platform manager here, who will have the entire management of all [illegible]. The attractions will consist of two concert companies, the [illegible] Leigh Concert company, and the Philadelphia Lyric Glee club; two lecturers, W. G. G. Benway and H. W. Sears, the latter of whom is humorous; an impersonator, Ellsworth Plumstead; and the Mysterious Milburns, who are magicians.

Each of these entertainers comes highly recommended and the very reasonable rate of admission for the course affords a splendid opportunity to enjoy six high class entertainments at a price often charged [illegible] one.

There is no doubt but that the [illegible] will [illegible] the people of New Smyrna have desired [illegible].

[illegible] at the general [illegible] the course [illegible] and appointed the following committees to manage the necessary details: [illegible] Captains of the [illegible] — [illegible] Crane and Dr. W. C. Chewning. Captains of the [illegible] — [illegible] and Dr. E. J. Meinhardt. Advertising—Mrs. H. L. Reed, Dr. J. Meinhardt, G. W. Lewis and P. Smith.

General house committee—C. J. [illegible] and W. A. Griffin.

[illegible] house committees; Renting lighting—G. H. Crane. Seating—[illegible] Newell and W. P. Shryock. [illegible] and decorating—Mrs. Geo. L. [illegible].

These committees are already at work and tickets may be obtained [illegible] from the ticket committee [illegible] either drug store.

[illegible] Neal has been called to [illegible] on business.

[COUN]TY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION TODAY

[TO] BE HELD IN THIS CITY [THIS] AFTERNOON TO ELECT [illegible] DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

[illegible] to a call by the state [illegible] congressional republican [illegible], a call has been issued [illegible] county convention [illegible] in this city this afternoon [illegible], for the purpose of [illegible] delegates from this [illegible] the state and Fourth [illegible] conventions to be held [illegible] February 3, and to [illegible] other business as may [illegible].

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SHELDON NEW MEMBER BOARD PUBLIC WORKS

FINAL REPORT OF G. H. CRANE AS SECRETARY IS PRESENTED WITH AUDIT OF THE CITY'S BOOKS.

George H. Crane, who has been secretary of the board of public works since that body was organized a year ago, is now an ex-member of that body, his term of office having expired Wednesday of this week, and R. S. Sheldon takes his place on the board. A meeting of the board will probably be held today to elect a secretary to succeed Mr. Crane.

Mr. Crane's final report as secretary was presented to the board at a meeting held Wednesday night and contained a full report of the transactions of the board from the time it was organized last year up to the present time.

In connection with Mr. Crane's report, the following report of J. A. Woodward, who was recently employed by the board to audit the books of the city clerk and treasurer, on the handling of the sewer and waterworks funds, was presented to the board:

New Smyrna, Fla., Jan. 10, 1916

To the Board of Public Works:

Gentlemen:

As per your request I have audited the books and accounts of the [illegible] and treasurer, pertaining to [illegible] and disbursements for sewer and waterworks.

I found the accounts properly kept, there being invoices and proper authority for all warrants issued; and the [illegible] in the clerk's office were [illegible] in order.

The original paid warrants in the treasurer's hands were signed by E. A. Newell and M. A. Branson. They had proper endorsements thereon and were marked paid on the date of issuing check. The treasurer's totals and balances agreed with the clerk's figures and the balances of both officers checked with the balances furnished by the State Bank of New Smyrna, in which the funds are kept on deposit.

The distribution of disbursements on the following page is furnished you for a general idea of the purpose for which the funds have been spent. An exact analysis of expenditures can be furnished by the construction company only, and I am informed that they are now preparing a statement of this kind.

Yours very truly,
J. A. WOODWARD,
Public Accountant.

CHANGE IN HOURS FOR CURRENT IRONING DAY.

"Ironing day," as established by the New Smyrna Public Service company has proved successful and the electric current used for this purpose in the various homes of the city Wednesday forenoon has shown that the housewives appreciate this opportunity to do their ironing under more pleasant circumstances. However, a change in the hours when the electric current will be supplied will be made in future, which will meet with favor among the women. Instead of having the current continued through from daylight until noon, the plant will be shut down in the morning until 7:30, when the current will be turned on and continued until 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The only complaints received by the Public Service company on the service last Wednesday was because the current was not continued long enough for the women to finish their ironing.

MEN'S CLUB POSTPONES DINNER AT DAYTONA.

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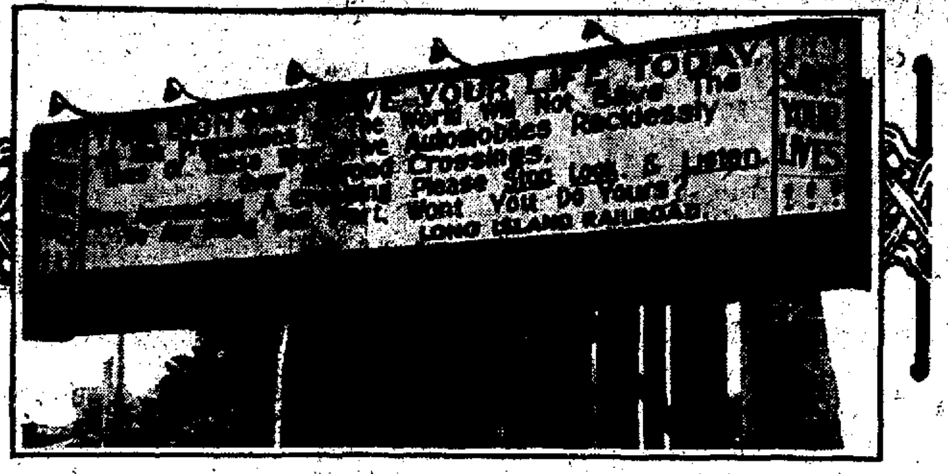
RAILROAD APPEALS TO REASON OF AUTOIST.



Novel "Save Your Life" sign which the Long Island railroad has placed at grade crossings asking the autoist to do his share of protecting himself, as the road is doing what it can to make things safe.

MRS. MITCHELL DIES AT HOME OF SISTER

JESSE HOLDEN PASSES AWAY AT TURNBULL BAY HOME AND DANIEL SELDEN DIES MONDAY MORNING.

Mrs. Alice Mitchell, wife of Henry Mitchell of Hawks Park, died Saturday night at 11 o'clock at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Bradford, in South Jacksonville, after an illness of several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell had been in North Carolina during the summer, hoping the change would be beneficial to Mrs. Mitchell's health, and had stopped at South Jacksonville on the return to their home at Hawks Park.

She was 60 years of age and was one of the best known women in this section, having lived here for more than a quarter of a century. The body arrived Monday afternoon and the funeral services were held that afternoon in the Union church at Hawks Park, Rev. [illegible] of the Episcopal church officiating, and interment was made in the cemetery there.

Jesse Holden Dies—

Jesse Holden died Saturday morning at his home on the old Brooks homestead at Turnbull bay, after an illness of several months, aged 74 years. He is survived by his widow, two sons and one daughter living here and one daughter living in Port Orange.

The funeral services were held Sunday morning at the home, with Rev. B. F. Green officiating, and interment was made in the cemetery at Hawks Park.

Daniel B. Selden Dies—

Daniel B. Selden, aged 72 years, who came here early in the season from his home in Akron, Ohio, died Monday morning, the cause of death being given as the general decline of old age.

Mr. Selden came here from the north for the benefit of his failing health, and since his arrival had been making his home with "Uncle Billy" Parks at Coronado. Just a few days before his death his nephew, Kirby Carpenter, arrived from Boston to be with his uncle during the last days. He leaves a sister and other relatives in Akron.

Funeral services were held at the cemetery at Hawks Park and interment was made there.

ROBBERS ENTER TWO STORES CARRY AWAY MERCHANDISE

MAKE EFFORT TO PUT OUT ELECTRIC LIGHTS

EFFORT TO GAIN ENTRANCE TO LIGHT PLANT AND SMASH THE SWITCHBOARD IS THWARTED BY EMPLOYEES.

Smashing the big plate glass window in the front of the building, robbers gained an entrance to the store of S. Ross on Canal street some time during the night Tuesday and carried away various merchandise to the value of about $25. Entrance was made the same night to the store of Moses Meeks in the colored section of the city, where an unknown quantity of merchandise was [illegible] at about the [illegible].

That the robbery was carefully planned, and that the plans included the damaging of the switchboard at the electric light plant so as to put out the lights all over the city, is the view taken by the authorities in the light of developments since the robberies have been reported.

Two efforts were made after midnight Tuesday night by an unknown negro to pry open a window near the switchboard at the light plant, and the supposition is that he planned to use the same piece of timber with which he tried to pry open the window to smash the swithcboard and put the lights out. Both times the black man was run away from the vicinity of the plant by the engineer and night watchman. The second time this attempt was made was about 3:30 o'clock in the morning.

The big window at the Ross store was smashed with a brick, and it is believed the same man, or others with whom he was associated, broke the window and then went to the light plant with the intention of putting out the lights before entering the store. Being unsuccessful in this he probably returned to the store and completed his work of robbery.

The entrance to Moses Meeks' store was made through a window in the side of the building, which was pried open from the outside.

BOAT LINE IS HAVING PLENTY OF TROUBLE

STEAMER McNEIL ON BANK AT THE INLET AND SWAN BREAKS HER SHAFT ON TRIP DOWN THE COAST.

The Howard Transportation company has been having its troubles during the last week, but every possible effort has been made to keep boats running to handle the heavy freight business at this time of the year.

The first serious trouble happened when the steamer Swan broke her shaft in getting away from the dock in Daytona last week. It was necessary to send to Jacksonville for an expert welder, who succeeded in getting the shaft welded in a couple of days and the steamer went back to Jacksonville, loaded up and started for another trip down the East Coast waterway. Between Jacksonville and St. Augustine the shaft broke in two where it had been welded, leaving the big steamer helpless.

The steamer McNeil, which makes the trip to New Smyrna and farther down the coast, went on the bank at the inlet last Saturday night, carried by the strong wind and tide, and has been stuck fast since that time. Efforts to float her have been unsuccessful and Manager J. H. Howard of the transportation company came down from Jacksonville Monday to investigate the condition of the steamer and see what could be done about getting her off the bank. He was at the McNeil Tuesday when he received a message telling of the accident to the Swan nd he took the afternoon train to Jacksonville to get a tug to tow the Swan to Daytona with her load of freight. The Swan will then be towed back to Jacksonville to have her shaft repaired.

Then, if the McNeil isn't floated by that time, a tug will be brought down to the inlet to see if the big steamer can be pulled off the bank.

CORINNE NEAL ENTERTAINS AT A BIRTHDAY PARTY.

In honor of her birthday, Miss Corinne Neal was hostess to a jolly party of young ladies last Saturday afternoon at the Red Tea Room. The guests were seated at a long table and at each place burned a tiny candle. Refreshments of fruit salad and coffee were served and then followed the cutting of the birthday cake. Lucky favors were found in different pieces and there was much amusement upon discovering who had received the ring, the wishbone and others. By this time the little candles had begun to burn low and it was discovered that the one at the hostess' place had snuffed out first, which, of course means, in the signs of birthday parties, that she must be the first to marry. After the luncheon the guests remained for some time engaged in jolly conversation. Those in the party were: Misses Corinne Neal, hostess; [illegible], Harriet Crane, Gladys [illegible], [illegible], Susie Darby and [illegible].

EAST FLA. ANNUAL IS A SPLENDID BOOK

INTERESTING BOOK SETTING FORTH ADVANTAGES OF EAST COAST SECTION HAS JUST BEEN ISSUED.

The first number of the East Florida Annual, published by Will M. Traer, Harry L. Brown and Ray L. Neal of St. Augustine, has made its appearance. The book contains over 100 pages of comprehensive information about the East Coast section of Florida. The book is typographically perfect and is designed to convey to persons unfamiliar with Florida much interesting information and to dispel popular illusions about the state that exist in the minds of many not acquainted with the state.

The New Smyrna section is well represented in the East Florida Annual, the book having the following to say of this locality:

"According to reports from the department of agriculture of the state of Florida, Volusia county produces over a half millions dollars' worth of oranges each season. Within the county are many important towns from which are shipped trainloads of this delicious fruit to all parts of the north, east and west. While Volusia county makes no great claim as an agricultural county, a few facts concerning what it actually produces will surprise the reader who passes through this section via the railway, or the Dixie highway. According to authentic records of a recent year, approximately 4,000 acres were planted to corn and made a very satisfactory yield. Of field crops the least in point of acreage, but first in value, is nearly 1,000 acres of Irish potatoes. A large acreage is devoted to field peas, sweet potatoes and velvet beans, all of which indicates that, when Volusia county's mild winter climate is considered, the reader must admit that this county is particularly adapted to the production of high grade cattle, hogs and poultry. An immense quantity of native hay is produced within the county, and while the acreage of cane is small, it is known that it will grow readily and make excellent yields, marketable at a profit.

"Volusia county is not a heavy producer of vegetable crops for Northern shipment. Its leaders in this respect are cabbage, cucumbers, tomatoes, celery, lettuce and onions, and such crops as beans, beets, eggplant, squash, peppers, etc., are easy to grow and make satisfactory yields. Quite a large acreage within the county is devoted to watermelons and cantaloupes, which are grown largely for distant markets. Strawberry culture has been followed to a sufficient extent to demonstrate that it will yield excellent profits under proper conditions. Othe fruits aside from oranges include grapefruit, persimmons, figs, guavas, plums, grapes, peaches and pears.

"Volusia county's livestock at the present time is valued at close to $1,000,000. The value of its native cattle alone comes near reaching a half million dollars.

"Within or along the boundary lines of Volusia county are a large number of fresh water lakes, chief among which are Crescent lake, Lake George, Dexter's lake, Lake Monroe and Lake Harney. These lakes are all a part of the St. Johns river and are located on the northern, western and southern boundaries of the county. They are all accessible to good sized boats on the St. Johns from Jacksonville and Sanford. These lakes furnish the finest boating and fresh water fishing and hunting. Wild turkey, quail and deer are found in the forests and prairies in various parts of the county. Two lines of railroads, the Florida East Coast and the Atlantic Coast Line, traverse the county from north to south, and the Orange City branch of the Florida East Coast railroad leaves the main line at New Smyrna, crossing the extreme lower portion of the county and connects with the Atlantic Coast Line.

"The county seat of Volusia county is DeLand, located in the southwestern part of the county on the Atlantic Coast Line railroad. The county officers of Volusia county [illegible] at DeLand [illegible] County Judge [illegible]

Gossip of the Town
by the Town Gossiper

[illegible] Fisher has discovered a champion and so strong is his faith in the ability of his champion that he is willing to back him to the limit against all comers. Lee's discovery came about through a half day's hard work in gathering oysters for a lady friend, and in future when Lee brings oysters to the city he will make sure they are kept out of sight of one "[illegible]" Tate, [illegible] roller and [illegible]. Lee [illegible] that Tate can do it again, or that he can beat all comers at an open and eat contest on roasted oysters any day in the week and at any time of the day.

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When a young fellow plans some nice affair for the entertainment of his sweetheart and either he or she backs out at the last minute the jig is up for a time at least, but after you're married, it's different. I don't know which side is responsible for the failure of "Ladies' night," as planned by the Men's club [illegible]

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SYNOPSIS.

Cranford, an international secret agent, back from Europe, decides to go fishing at Pidgin Island. He does not know that Diana, a handsome young girl, has already arrived there.

Smead, a jewel smuggler, instructs his son to "get" Cranford, who has broken up the father's illicit business. They learn about his fishing trip.

Cranford meets Diana (Miss Wynne) and learns that she knows Uncle Billy, guide and fisherman, very well. Cranford gets a telegram stating that his rooms at home had been entered and looted.

Cranford and Diana meet at the end of a fishing expedition. The girl becomes greatly excited when she sees a power boat approaching Pidgin Island.

CHAPTER V.

A Mysterious Motorboat.

AT the clerk's desk Cranford found a telegram.

The little morocco notebook had been safely deposited in his safety deposit box at the bank. He was advised to fish without worry.

He strolled out to that end of the veranda where the guides foregathered. He knew them all, from the clean, self respecting man down to the dissolute and improvident.

Presently he saw Lester coming up the steps.

This young guide never came to the hotel except on business. He was quiet, educated, a born naturalist; he could "see" bass in the water, as the saying goes.

He was heartily envied by the majority of the guides because he rowed for one man and had done so for seven years, from June 17 to September.

He had a small boat, easy to handle, and, being a natural mechanic, never tinkered with his two cylinder engine; traveled eight miles an hour, with never a glance at the spark plugs, which to date no machine shop could turn out to satisfy Uncle Billy.

"Where would you like to fish, sir, tomorrow?"

"We might try Pidgin."

The guide smiled. "They're biting fast at Bell's and around Horseshoe."

"We'll try those in the afternoon."

"Lunch or shore dinner?"

"Rather believe I'd like a whack at boned bass."

"All right, sir. I'll be at the dock at 7:30." Lester touched his hat and went down the steps.

Cranford went up to his room and began to straighten out his tackle. He whistled and hummed at the work—all boy.

Meantime a man arrived on the last train.

He registered, ate a late dinner, idled about the desk and carelessly ran over the names of the guests. He then inquired the way to the telegraph office.

Later the clerk asked him if he desired a guide.

"No, I'm leaving for Kingston in the morning. If you will give me my key I'll turn in at once. The boat leaves at 7."

"We'll call you, sir."

"Thanks, replied the stranger, who was tall, thickset, gray haired, ruddy faced, with an air of prosperity.

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Cranford eyed the two rods affectionately.

Old rods, old tackle, the very leader he had fished with that last day over at Horseshoe when the big fellow got away just as Uncle Billy was passing the net.

A flawed hook had done the trick. In another corner of the room stood $50 worth of new tackle, glaringly new. He might not use one of them during the month, and again they might be called into active service before the week was up.

The sou'wester, the dripping raincoat, the oozing shoes, the strong white teeth burying themselves in the cheek of the rosy apple. Wynne—Diana Wynne it ought to be—Diana shut out forever from the Olympian heights, made mortal, thereby attainable.

Had he met her in the hotel parlor she would have stirred only a passing admiration, but she had come from the heart of the storm, bringing with her a gust of heady ozone.

"I love it out at Pidgin. It is wild and free there. I was born at sea."

He laughed a little and whipped the rod back and forth to test its pliancy. He must not permit any such nonsense to enter his head, only—

The next morning the late arrival of the night before changed his plans.

He told the clerk that he would return at noon to Ogdensburg instead of going to Kingston. At breakfast he watched Cranford stealthily.

When he saw him shoulder his rods and go whistling down toward the dock he went up to his room, quietly opened the window and slipped out on to the veranda. Nonchalantly he approached Cranford's window and, finding it open, stepped inside the room. He paused to listen, tried the door and found it locked.

He smiled.

[illegible] and quietly he searched [illegible] the clothes in the closet, [illegible] luggage. Nothing escaped [illegible] fingers, and when he [illegible] more than mortal to have discovered anything amiss.

Again he listened.

After a minute or so he went out of the window and walked leisurely around to the north side. He was just in time to see Cranford's boat sweep out of the basin, with a twist or two of blue vapor trailing in its wake.

What a fair world it was—cloudless, rain washed, vistaed!

Long island stood out against the pale sky of early morning, crisp, marvelously distinct.

You could see the cracks in the rotting ledges, the sun lances breaking against the sharp angles of rosy granite, the delicate lacing of pine and maple. As for the water, it was flat and burnished as Cleopatra's mirror.

Far, far above him Cranford espied a motionless speck, an eagle, and here and there the silly gulls rode and bobbed upon the river's placid bosom, as unlovely at close view as decoy ducks, but of beauty unutterable when flying in the face of a gale.

Even the midges, doubtless born that sunrise, interested him. He settled back in his comfortable chair seat, pulled his gray felt hat down over his eyes and drew contentedly at his pipe.

He was very near to happiness, as near as he had any right to expect. Old shoes, run down at the heel; hopeless trousers, a coat which would have shocked the rarely shockable Warren and a gray flannel shirt.

The coat he had left with Uncle Billy two years before, and he was wearing it for luck. The comfort of it! Not another stiff collar for thirty days, excepting Sundays, when he intended to loaf or take long walks into the country. Besides, to skip a day added zest to the next day's sport.

Lester sat on a little oaken, boxlike cover which protected the engine on windy days from the vigorous onslaughts of the waves.

He held the tiller rope in his left hand and with his right scientifically thrust from time to time a battered tin dipper into the water and dribbled the contents into the bait pail, a slender rubber tube thrown over the side serving as a drain.

Cranford had fished north, east, south and west; in virgin countries where it took ten days' portage to reach a railroad; but there was no place equal to this.

"I say, Lester, suppose we take a whack just outside of Bare point? Billy's out at Pidgin, and I don't want to swoop down on him before he gets started."

"All right, sir."

Bare point is on the Canadian line.

Lester put on a fat, lively chub, and Cranford made a capital cast. At heart he was as eager and as excited as he had been twenty years ago, when his father had explained the intricacies and mysteries of casting a line without having the reel back draw.

"Ha!"

Cranford gave line, watched the tip of his rod and struck.

He reeled in two or three feet of line, then turned and looked at Lester, who was grinning amiably.

"Can you guess what I've got?"

"Goo-goo-eye!"

"Compliments of the season; welcome back."

Cranford laughed and reeled in, and the despised rock bass came up exactly like a tin pie plate, round and round, wabbly.

"Shall I put him in the box, sir?" asked Lester, as he extracted the hook.

It is a superstition upheld by the majority of fishermen that if you throw away the first fish, whatever breed, you throw away your luck. Beware of thirteen, of leaving your watch under the pillow, of seeing the new moon over the wrong shoulder (whichever that is), of singing before breakfast—all presages of evil to the fisherman.

But Cranford had no superstitions.

"Lester, if you crack another joke like that I'll skin you. I'll try one more bait." He cast again. "And don't tell Billy."

"I won't tell anybody," replied Lester as he took up the oars again.

"You see, I bet Billy a box of cigars that we'd beat him out on the day's catch. But he ought not to take a young woman out to Pidgin this time of the year."

"Is he taking a woman out there? Well, she must want to fish there then. Bill's married; so'm I, for that matter. When a woman says she wants to go somewhere she oughtn't to, hustle her to it. She may change her mind and turn back."

This bit of philosophy amused Cranford. There came a sharp tug and strain.

"Hooked himself!" exclaimed Cranford.

He straightened the rod and waited for the "break," but the break did not come. Tug-tug, at an angle of forty-five degrees. A minute went by, there was no letup.

Cranford scowled and gave the rod an impatient lift. Crack! went the tip of a ten year rod. It slid down the taut line and disappeared into the water. "Ha!"

"I had my suspicions," said Lester [illegible].

A rock bass, a broken [illegible] an eel did not promise well for the day's catch.

Cranford dropped the rod and pulled in the line by hand. Lester reached over at the proper moment and cut the leader. A fat eel wriggled back to his oozy environments.

"Pidgin!" said Cranford disgustedly. Fisherman's luck!

"All right, we'll go to Pidgin. They ought to be there today. No telling. If Bill says that girl can fish he knows. And he never takes any great risks."

The girl, with Uncle Billy, had landed six bass in less than thirty minutes, all under two pounds, tender eating.

"We've got him beat," commented Billy joyfully. "He won't have no sech luck first day."

"What him?"

"Mr Cranford. I bet fifty apples t' fifty cigars that you'd beat him on th' day's catch."

She frowned.

And the frown disturbed him. When she brought in her first rock bass he slammed it viciously to the bottom of the boat.

"Them goggle eyes—I hate 'em! Look jes' like th' feller that owes me money. Guess that's Lester comin'."

Cranford swung his hat boyishly.

"What luck?" he inquired when Lester drew within speaking distance.

"Six. They're biting freely."

Cranford began casting with a single piece rod, the mate to the one he

"There's a power boat heading for the island."

had broken over at Bare point. An hour passed with but one strike to his credit. That was like Pidgin. A dozen boats might drift up and down. Generally only one made the catch.

Noon came.

"We'll have dinner in Sand bay, where it's shady," the girl said.

"We'll dine on Pidgin."

Uncle Billy rubbed his hands tenderly. "It'll be blazin' hot."

"I have decided."

"All right, Miss Wynne. They'll be 'nough driftwood for th' stove. We've got seven. Mr. Cranford's got on'y one, 's far 's I can see."

"Only one?"

Landing was shortly made at the dock, and Cranford and the girl visited the lighthouse.

"Beautiful!" murmured the girl.

"But very, very hot. You should have gone over to Sand bay," said Cranford.

Down below they could see the two guides puttering about. Presently they stepped to the water's edge and began to clean the fish. All this was so different from the camps she had known.

"There's a power boat heading for the island."

"Where?" she cried, clutching him by the arm.

Cranford found a blue spot on his arm that night.

"Coming over from Horseshoe; canopied top; mile away, I should say."

The girl's eyes closed, and she swayed against the outer rail.

CHAPTER VI.

Another Dilemma—Woman.

CRANFORD followed her down the narrow, winding staircase.

Her dizziness was evidently transitory, for she almost flew down, and he in his turn grew dizzy in trying to keep her in view. He was puzzled.

Hot up there in the light it undoubtedly was, but the real hurt came from the reflected brilliancy of the sun on the water, and she had fished closer to it all the morning.

There had been no signs of dizziness then. Perhaps, after all, she had not eaten anything for breakfast, womanlike, and it was hunger.

It never occurred to him that the sight of the canopied top had thrown her off her balance. Up here he never suspected anybody, unless it was the man who lost a four pounder over at Rowing dock and bragged about it.

His mind was as clear as a boy's. The craft which made him formidable in his peculiar work lay fallow. He was an angler, nothing more. So he decided that her dizziness was due to hunger and went to see that the machinery which would assuage it was set going.

He proceeded at once to the stove, putting in a [illegible] here, a [illegible] there.

He opened the olives and sardines and split the two cantaloupes, [illegible] them neatly with [illegible] and covered them with a napkin. Then he [illegible] table in the shadow of the [illegible] [illegible]

The shadow would last in that spot at least an hour, and if lunch went beyond that time, which he hoped it would, it would be simple to follow the shadow.

The pork was sizzling in the frying pan, the green corn bubbling in the pot, and the odor of coffee drifted up invitingly.

A meal fit for the gods—better than all the famous hotels put together could offer!

Presently he looked about for the girl and saw her standing at the end of the dock. The power boat was only a few yards off.

Suddenly Uncle Billy and Lester set off lickity-cut toward their boats, and Cranford jogged along behind them.

"What's up?" he called.

"Game wardens!"

Neither of the guides had a guilty conscience this day, but it was always well to be on hand when the wardens took inventory of your belongings.

Some people weren't above taking all the bass they could catch, notwithstanding that the Canadian law permitted eight bass to the rod.

There is all the difference in the world between the American and Canadian game wardens.

On the south side of the line laws bristling with amendments and ramifications and additional clauses were passed and printed in books and then put away on the shelf for reference only, since nobody honestly intended to obey them.

Perhaps at odd times the sheriff and the wardens would get their heads together and stop a baseball game on Sunday or interfere with a fishing trip of a few poor chaps who couldn't get away on week days.

It was all very much like wet firecrackers. Here and there one fizzled or exploded flatly. But on the north side a law was a law seven days in the week, and those living in the radius of its effect had the decency to respect and obey it. They very well had to.

If you fished in Canadian waters without a license and were caught, you paid, whether you were ignorant of the law or knowing.

Lester and Uncle Billy arrived to find their boats being overhauled—the fish boxes, the hollows under stern and bow.

Friendly greetings were exchanged. The men knew each other. It was all in a day's work.

"Only the game wardens," said the girl, smiling at Cranford.

Only! His puzzlement revived.

"Are you hungry?"

"Is everything ready? I'm starved!" She turned and ran up the dock toward the white patch in the shadow of the lighthouse.

The trifling inquisition over the canopied top put out again, heading for Sand bay.

"Them fish'll be burnt!" roared Uncle Billy, shuffling along the dock. "She won't know nuthin' 'bout turnin' them."

When they arrived, however, they found her daintily turning the fish in the pan.

Cranford was conscious of a little *catch in his breath*. The round, brown arms, the sleeves turned carelessly to the elbows, the collar loose at the throat, the flesh pearl tinted in the shadow of her chin, the cheeks red under the tan—a woman lithe and strong and fearless and beautiful, a proper mate for a man.

He did not mean it so, but there was something compelling in his gaze, and her eyes turned toward his.

Instantly there was a smile, friendly, warm, like an honest handclasp, at the same time as bewildering and dazzling as sun glitter on water. He had all he could do to keep from drawing his hand across his eyes, so strong was the illusion that he had momentarily been blinded.

Then the smile broke into sound, subtle and alluring as that which Ulysses might have heard as he struggled at the mast.

He interpreted the laughter far more readily than the smile.

It was mischievous. The expression on his face had been that of a yokel no doubt. Worldly wise, versed in femininity, he realized that it would never do to give her this advantage.

"Thanks for the smile. But why did you laugh at me?"

"Has no woman ever smiled at you before?" as she turned the handle of the frying pan into Uncle Billy's horny palm.

"Not quite like that."

"Mercy! Was it so dreadful?"

"No. On the contrary, it was as unexpected as it was beautiful."

She looked straight into his eyes as she retorted: "Parlor broken. I am greatly disappointed. Can't you men forget those insufferable frostings when you are out in the open?"

"Back there," with a nod toward the south, "back there I shouldn't have forgotten to smile."

"Grub!" came disenchantingly from Uncle Billy.

The girl laughed again.

And Cranford laughed, too, and he knew that she knew why. She had won all points in the comedy.

They sat down, he at one end of the table and she at the other, and they ate a feast for the gods, who very well knew how to eat—the finest fish in the world, tender green corn, nectareous coffee, crisp potatoes, luscious melons and the sun and the air for seasoning.

"It was very kind of you to share those fish. If you only knew how I have longed for the taste of one! I wonder what it really is that makes food taste so good out of doors?"—curious to learn what opinion she might advance, for he had had but little contact with women free of their fashionable environment and only imagined what they might be outside their fortress of [illegible] and observance of [illegible] conventionalities.

"Attitude of the mind," she answered as she dug into the green rind of the melon; "the return to the simples, the shedding of complexities; early to bed and early to rise, and all the sordid, ugly things left behind. We wash our bodies every day, but only when we get out like this do we wash our souls."

He became just the least bit afraid that she would prove to be that bluestocking Minerva, for Diana never bothered her head about the care of souls, Diana.

"I have a curious idea that perhaps you are called Diana."

The spoon poised for a moment.

"Yes, that is my name. But do not confuse me with the mythological goddess, please; I am mortal, very mortal indeed."

"Pardon me. I did not mean to be impertinent."

"It is as I said. We return to simples. What is more direct, what is simpler than asking me my given name? I almost said Christian! And I am just as much a pagan as my name implies. Your name is John. Uncle Billy has been singing your praises since the first day we went out. I was beginning to hate you. The green corn and the melons were delicious. Thanks. I am as much in your debt as you are in mine. And there you have the truth of it. Friendship should always balance evenly. Weigh obligation against obligation, or, better still, see that there are no obligations. Old and trite as the hills, isn't it?"

"May I be counted as a friend?" he asked eagerly.

She rose, spun the melon rind into the water, stooped quickly and cast a stone after it with amazing accuracy.

"Why not—up here? If we ever meet elsewhere it will be from behind hedges, and we'll have to play the game—silly, I think it—of having some one to introduce us properly."

Another stone flew out and caught the melon on the rim, spinning it. It overbalanced and sank. "What made you ask me if my name was Diana?"

"That," readily, pointing to the spot where the melon had been floating. "Who but Diana could have thrown a stone like that?"

"Not a very brilliant invention."

There was in her glance neither embarrassment nor coquetry, nor curiosity—nothing that he recognized as feminine. Yet it seemed to draw the truth out of him as easily as the bucket comes up from the well.

"When you came into the boathouse Diana sprang into my mind. The imperturbability"—

"Ah!" mockingly.

—"with which you accepted the atmospheric conditions"—

"Fiddle-dee-dee!"

—"struck me as being unlike anything I had ever known in woman."

[illegible] pose. Am I a freak?"

"No."

He held his hand toward her.

"All this is very unusual," she said, eying the hand musingly, but making no effort to take it.

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Cranford's boat was about twenty feet beyond the girl's.

Suddenly she saw him strike, and right from under Uncle Billy's port oar leaped the big fellow. The surprised girl started back and, to save herself from going overboard, dropped her rod.

Fortunately it struck the gunwale evenly and balanced. She pounced upon it, laughing.

"I couldn't have acted any sillier if some one had shouted mouse!"

"Jee-hosai-phat!" murmured Uncle Billy as the bass cleared the water again.

He made a megaphone of his hands and shouted to Cranford. "It's him!"

Cranford sent back a happy laugh.

The girl watched him, fascinated. He did not seem to care one way or the other whether he lost the fish or brought him aboard.

Once the bass turned a complete circle around the boat, and to this maneuver Cranford danced a hornpipe from stern to bow and back again, with Lester ducking madly and shifting this oar and that.

Everybody was laughing excitedly and offering advice. Uncle Billy stood up and shouted, and the girl murmured "Ahs!" and "Ohs!" after the manner of children witnessing fireworks.

Once the black fellow decided to test the strength of the line by tangling it up in the screw.

My, what a time! Cranford immediately called for help. Lester crept forward, straddled the stern and deftly worked out the snarl. Not an inch of slack did Mr. Bass get for his [illegible]

A glorious battle, a superb combat; skill and intellect at one end, fear, strength and gameness at the other, the connecting link a thread of silk.

It was fourteen minutes by the girl's watch when Cranford called for the net.

The girl's palms were wet, and little beads of perspiration stood out upon her forehead. She had gone through the battle as if she herself had fought every turn and phase of it.

"Hi, Miss Wynne, reel's [illegible] out Uncle Billy, diving for [illegible] "Nobby it's th' mate. They [illegible] in pairs."

She caught up the rod just as [illegible] turn of the reel brought the [illegible] into view: fifty yards of line [illegible]

One chance in a hundred! She [illegible] the rod outward and took three or [illegible] turns of the reel. Dared she [illegible] Away beyond Cranford's boat [illegible]

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...ne to ours," he said to Cranford ...pollifwhopper!" gurgled Uncle ... "Doun't y' git fumed, Miss ... He's awallered th' hook, 'n I ...know nuthin' 'bout bass."

...ose Billy, I shall cry if I lose ...

...ook the bait off'n th' bottom! ...t d'y' know 'bout that? An' don't ... knock o' Pidgin galley west? ...

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EUROPEAN NEWS AND VIEWS.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—In England the cabinet crisis; in France, a threatened shake-up of the military forces by Gen. Joffre; in Germany, the illness of the kaiser; in Italy, the reported injury of the king in battle and the forced visit of King Peter of Servia, in Austria, renewed rumors of the serious condition of Emperor Franz Josef, and in Greece, renewed outbreaks against the government. These are the big events in the history of Europe this week. One needs to be an optimist in these days, not to see a dark ending of some of the disheartening conditions that obtain. But in every country where there is war, the brightest hopes are entertained and the Teutonic allies as well as the Entente allies are declaring that it will not be many months before there will be peace. The published articles in the United States regarding the food supply of Germany are attracting great attention in Europe. Needless to say that they are vigorously denied in Germany. There is, however, misery enough in all the belligerent countries to justify the hope that the miserable business of war will end soon.

King Ferdinand, of Bulgaria, whose personality eclipses for the moment all other sinister figures of the great war, secured his throne by a process of exhaustion. A Danish prince, a Caucasian potentate, and the king of Roumania himself were among the choice either of the powers or the Bulgarians. King Carol rejected the opportunity to found a Wallache-Bulgarian empire, the three delegates were finally dispatched to tour Europe for a king. The prince was found, the offer was made him and he accepted the throne. He was elected, but did without the sanction of the powers.

The commander of one of the French regiments whose soldiers have distinguished themselves for bravery, has just taken a step which is certain to gratify those who have neither been decorated nor have been cited in "the order of the day." He has ordered from the mint a large number of medals, designed by Morton, on one side of which is engraved the call "To Arms," and on the reverse the inscriptions, "Campaign of 1914-1915," the number of the regiment, "Awarded for Courage," and the name of the soldier to whom the medal is given. The commander's theory is that all acts of bravery deserve recognition and those who are not singled out for special honors should be recognized.

There are those who state that war between Germany and Italy cannot be long postponed. That such a step can be much longer delayed seems impossible, it is stated, in view of the fact that an Italian army corps of some 300,000 men is being landed on the eastern shores of the Adriatic, in order to co-operate with the Anglo-French forces against the German-Austrian and Bulgarian forces in Serbia. It cannot be long before the Italians entering Serbia from the Adriatic coast come into touch with the German and Austrian troops that have overrun the unfortunate King Peter's dominions, and at the first clash the rupture of diplomatic relations between Berlin and Rome will have developed into actual warfare between Germany and Italy.

Wonders of America.

"We have islands a mile in circumference composed entirely of sulphur," boasted the man from New Zealand. "You ought to see our big trees," came back the American. "You could pick up one of the islands on the tip of one of our trees and let it serve as the head of a match."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Some Queer Facts

Chicago wheat has run $300 up to $400,000 in wheat within a few weeks.

Operated on 121 times, St. Louis man spends time in hospitals sewing and crocheting.

Atrocity note: Somebody put a forged check for $1,000 in Billy Sunday's thanks offering at Syracuse.

Ostrich at $3 a portion New Year's eve delicacy in New York, as twenty of the birds were bought by hotels.

Mormon of old school, eighty-six, but never owner of a pair of socks, is survived in Denver by 278 descendants.

Autopsy of Oregon man necessary before estate could be settled, because he had included in will a $10 gold piece he swallowed, and they had to get it.

The "watch wrist," new London ailment, due to wearing wrist watches. If woman throws out arm, elbow crooked and brings the back of the hand uppermost with a twist and jerk, she has it.

ALL GERMAN STATES HAVE AN INCOME TAX SYSTEM.

Prussian Method of Raising Revenue Is the Most Complete.

Reports received in the United States that several of the German states are preparing to make considerable increases in their income tax levies have excited much interest, and fuller reports are eagerly awaited.

The German empire, as a whole, does not levy any income tax, but the twenty-six states which compose the empire all have either complete or partial income taxation. Their individual methods of making the levy, however, vary widely. Prussia, which includes more than half the total population of the empire, has one of the most complete systems.

The Prussian income tax is levied upon all Prussian subjects actually domiciled in Prussia, as well as on all other persons domiciled in Prussia, a residence of one year establishing domicile within the meaning of the tax law. It also includes corporations and co-operative societies except those whose activities are charitable, scientific or artistic exclusively.

Certain members of the royal family and of the nobility are exempt from the tax, as well as certain accredited diplomatic representatives. All incomes under 900 marks (about $200) a year are also exempt, and there are various classes of income which are exempted, including that from foreign sources and military pay.

The Prussian income tax before the war amounted to $87,822,000 a year, and this was divided among 18,950,291 persons. Baden in 1908 (the latest available figures) raised 15,600,500 marks (about $3,900,000), or nearly 36 per cent of her total budget, from her income tax.

As a general rule, the smaller German states have depended more heavily upon the income tax than the larger, although Saxony raised in 1908 the sum of 51,575,000 marks ($14,890,000), or 73 per cent of her budget, by this means. Bavaria's income tax, on the other hand, amounted to but 5.3 per cent of her revenues, raising only 4,930,000 marks ($1,180,000.)

PATENT OFFICE REVISES RULE

Practitioners and Inventing Public Consulted as to Changes.

The general rules of practice before the patent office, revised to date and effective on Jan. 1, received the hearty approval of Secretary of the Interior Lane on the recommendation of Thomas Ewing, commissioner of patents.

"The new rules," said Commissioner Ewing, "while elaborate and technical, make for brevity, simplification, speed and efficiency."

A year ago Commissioner Ewing appointed a committee to make a thorough revision of the rules of practice. No general revision of the rules had been made for several years.

After ten months of work the results were submitted to patent experts and patent attorneys throughout the country with the request that they give the patent office the benefit of their suggestions in respect of the proposed changes. Hundreds of suggestions were made, and all have been carefully analyzed and many of them incorporated in the new rules.

This was the first time in the history of the patent office that practitioners before the office and the inventing public ever were consulted concerning the formulation of the rules and practice.

APPLES ENOUGH FOR ALL.

New York Has 1,410,000 Barrels, and Other States Have an Abundance.

New York had almost exactly the same quantity of apples in cold storage at the beginning of the cold storage season of 1915 as were reported on the same date in 1914. The office of markets of the federal department of agriculture says, however, that there are 25% per cent more apples in storage in the whole country than on the same date one year ago.

New York reports 1,410,000 barrels and 240,000 boxes. At the rate of three boxes to a barrel this is a total of 1,410,000 barrels. No other state has half so many, there having been interest in quantity being Illinois, Michigan and California. All of the far western states report apples only in bulk.

Sergeant in the Marine Corps Invents Something That Will Be Useful to Aviators.

Washington.—A portable military and naval topographical map for use of air scouts in the field and which will enable them to make quick and realistic reports of observations, has been invented by Gunnery Sergeant Herman G. Stroschein of the United States marine corps.

Worm gearing, operated by telescopic thumbscrews from the sides of the map, will create elevations and depressions thereon, showing terrain, contours of valleys, bodies of water, etc., and should make the aviator's report clear to the newest man in the field of operations, Stroschein claims.

The map will be very light, though strongly built, and it is thought by many military men that one of the great problems confronting aviators in the field—speed and accuracy in observation description—will have been overcome by the use of the marine sergeant's invention.

Gunnery Sergeant Stroschein is on duty at the headquarters of the United States marine corps in this city.

IS DEAD AT THE AGE OF 107

Andrew Massey of Indiana Was Veteran of the Mexican and Civil Wars.

Connersville, Ind.—The oldest man in Fayette county, Andrew Massey, is dead at his home in Orange at the age of one hundred and seven years. He was born in Everton, Fayette county, in April, 1808, and spent his entire life within a few miles of his birthplace. He farmed in a small way and liked to be out of doors, even tending a little garden all by himself after he passed the age of one hundred years.

It was not generally known here that a man of such age was living, his home being in the extreme southwest corner of the county. The records of his birth, his own belief of his age, and the remembered testimony on the subject of old men whom Massey outlived, causes the firm belief that he actually lived to the age of one hundred and seven. Massey fought in the Mexican war and in the Civil war.

PRETTY CAPITAL DEBUTANTE

Miss Beatrice Grayson Dulin is one of the latest additions to the society of the national capital.

WILSON STUDIES WAR MAPS

Keeps Tab Daily on Positions of the Struggling Armies—Officer Keeps Record.

Washington.—President Wilson is a peace-loving official, but the walls of the cabinet room do not indicate it. Huge maps of all the war zones of Europe cover the walls, and on each map the battle lines of the opposing hosts are drawn.

Col. W. W. Hartz, the president's aid, is in charge of all the "battlefields." He adjusts the tiny flags and colored cords which indicate how the different armies are moving from day to day.

Frequently, when the president goes over to his executive offices in the morning, he stops in the cabinet room and personally surveys the positions of the struggling armies. In addition to the European maps here also is one showing the position of the United States troops on the Mexican border and the positions of Mexican forces.

USE TOMBSTONES AS GUIDES

Discovery of Ledge of Tungsten Ore Makes Some Changes in Nevada.

Reno, Nev.—Tombstones are being used for location monuments in the new mining district near Rodeville, where a supposed fabulously rich ledge of tungsten ore was discovered, according to reports brought to Reno by men who answer the call of the desert.

One mining locator the village dominoey, and as there were no rocks near he used some of the best looking tombstones to mark the boundaries of his claim.

Others soon followed suit, and now the relatives of the departed, interred there years ago, would have a hard time recognizing one grave from another.

INCREASE WORRIES OF THE PRESIDENT

CONGRESSMEN FIGHT HARDER FOR "PATRONAGE" THAN THEY DO FOR IMPORTANT NATIONAL LEGISLATION.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Presidents may come; presidents may go, but the nemesis of presidents—the patronage hunter—always comes and never goes.

The patronage hunter is not a job seeker in the general sense, but he is a member of either the national house of representatives and of the party in power at the White House.

His presence is felt from the beginning of an administration, but he becomes a nemesis only in the opening days of a presidential political campaign. Then like the mythological maiden of the Rhine of the legend of Lorelei, they become the rock of danger in an administration.

President Wilson has had his patronage troubles, not more so than other presidents, but he is now entering a period of his administration where he is to have greater ones and be beset on all sides and if he slides by the big rock on which the Taft administration was shook from stem to stern—the pre-convention campaign days.

To show why this period of a national administration is worse than an earlier one it is necessary to show the workings of party leaders, workers and feeders.

Despite the great inroads of civil service reform in all branches of the federal government, there are many berths carrying with them salaries of from $500 to $6,000 or more a year which will still remain "spoils."

It is these "spoils" about which members of congress and senators fight—fight among themselves and with the president and those who have "the honor of dispensing" them.

From the instant of inauguration a president is hounded from morn 'till night by his party workers who want this post office, that collectorship of customs and a marshalship. Also there are candidates for every ambassadorship and ministership.

Until the beginning of the last leg ...

...out off, side-track and ... seekers to a certain extent, but when the days come when delegates for a convention are needed a president must play the game sharply.

Always friends are made and lost by patronage distribution. In the beginning of this administration the president paid great heed to the demands of "outsiders." At once little rifts were seen in the party managements at the capital. To the White House came tales of members of the house and senate having trouble with their members "back home" because they could not give them jobs. These walls were unavailing.

Following the last congressional election came a change of attitude on the part of the dispensers. Now, as the days leading to the national convention shorten the men who, back in the states, have the actual managements of campaigns and who get the "boys out to vote" are beginning to get a bit of the "spoils" so necessary, in their judgment, to the proper lining up of the voters.

It can be put down as a certainty that as the demands, especially those from districts and states that are doubtful, come in for jobs those jobs will be found. Delegates who, while uninstructed, will vote "right."

The Democratic machines in New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Nebraska, and the New England states did not fare well in the beginning, but as the day of the convention draws near they are "coming into their own."

With all due respect to reforms and reformers and the many new and diversified primary laws in the several states, the distribution of a certain amount of "spoils" is absolutely necessary to maintain a good party organization, unless every job at the disposition of Uncle Sam is put in a strict civil service class. This is particularly so of the postoffices. There is a greater fight waged by members of the house over small $1,500 a year post offices than are made over some big piece of national legislation.

Hint for Mother.

A gate between two rooms has proved a blessing to one mother. It is fastened in the doorway between the nursery and mother's room. There are times when the mother likes to watch the children without being right among them. Often sewing or writing may be done more easily with the gate between the mother and the little one.

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vs.

The heirs at law of BERNARDO SEGUI, deceased, and the devisees under the will of BERNARDO SEGUI, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under Bernardo SEGUI, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; and the heirs at law of ESTEVAN ARNAU, deceased, and the devisees under the will of ESTEVAN ARNAU, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under ESTEVAN ARNAU, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question, and the heirs at law of G. E. HAWS, deceased, and the devisees under the will of G. E. HAWS, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under G. E. HAWS, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; and the heirs at law of HENRY MARSHALL, deceased, and the devisees under the will of HENRY MARSHALL, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under HENRY MARSHALL, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; and the heirs at law of DANIEL McRANEY, deceased, and the devisees under the will of DANIEL McRANEY, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under DANIEL McRANEY, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; and the heirs at law of JOHN J. HEDRICK, deceased, and the devisees under the will of JOHN J. HEDRICK, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under JOHN J. HEDRICK, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question, and the heirs at law of THEODORE FLOTARD, deceased, and the devisees under the will of THEODORE FLOTARD, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under THEODORE FLOTARD, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; and the heirs at law of FRANKLIN W. ELY, deceased, and the devisees under the will of FRANKLIN W. ELY, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under FRANKLIN W. ELY, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; KATE C. HEDRICK and MARY A. RODGERS, Defendants,

To the heirs at law of BERNARDO SEGUI, deceased, and the devisees under the will of BERNARDO SEGUI, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under BERNARDO SEGUI, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; and the heirs at law of ESTEVAN ARNAU, deceased, and the devisees under the will of ESTEVAN ARNAU, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under ESTEVAN ARNAU, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; and the heirs at law of G. E. HAWS, deceased, and the devisees under the will of G. E. HAWS, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under G. E. HAWS, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question, and the heirs at law of HENRY MARSHALL, deceased, and the devisees under the will of HENRY MARSHALL, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under HENRY MARSHALL, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; and the heirs at law of DANIEL McRANEY, deceased, and the devisees under the will of DANIEL McRANEY, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under DANIEL McRANEY, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question; and the heirs at law of JOHN J. HEDRICK, deceased, and the devisees under the will of JOHN J. HEDRICK, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under JOHN J. HEDRICK, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question, and the heirs at law of THEODORE FLOTARD, deceased, and the devisees under the will of THEODORE FLOTARD, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under THEODORE FLOTARD, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question, and the heirs at law of FRANKLIN W. ELY, deceased, and the devisees under the will of FRANKLIN W. ELY, deceased, and all parties claiming interests under FRANKLIN W. ELY, deceased, or otherwise in the premises in question, which premises in question are described as those certain lots, tracts, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Volusia and State of Florida, more particularly known, distinguished and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 21A, 24A, 25A, 28A, 31A, 32A, 41A, 44A, 45A, 46A, 50A, 68, 69, 71, 72, 73, D, F, G, H, AA, BA, CA, and the North half of the Hotel Grounds East of Seaside Avenue, according to the plan of the Town of Blake, Halifax River, East Florida, by L. R. Horne, C. E., filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Volusia County, Florida, in Deed Book "E", page 150.

You are hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed herein against you in the above entitled cause on or before the 7th day of February, A. D. 1916.

"THE NEW SMYRNA NEWS" is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this order shall be published once a week for twelve consecutive weeks.

Witness my hand and seal of office at DeLand, Volusia County, Florida, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1915.

(SEAL) SAM'L D. JORDAN, Clerk.
By CLIFFORD BOTTS, Deputy Clerk.

LANDIS, FISH & HULL,
Solicitors for Complainant.

MANUFACTURER SAYS COUNTRY IS LOSING HUGE SUM ANNUALLY

ASCRIBES THE CAUSE TO IMMENSE REDUCTION IN IMMIGRATION OF WORKERS FROM EUROPE.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 11.—Speaking for the convention of the Saciety to Eliminate Economic Causes of War in Faneuil hall yesterday afternoon, Walter Wood, a Philadelphia machinery manufacturer, said the United States is losing $349,000,000 a year, or, rather, failing to gain that amount, through the drop in immigration caused by the war.

He said, in part:

"The total excess of the incoming over the outgoing in the year, ending June 30, 1915, was but 122,600 This is but 17 per cent of the smallest figures of any of the past nine years.

"It seems unnatural, and in some degree shocking, to place a value upon a human being as a machine for producing wealth, but so long as the welfare of the world is dependent upon the industry of its people, so long will this value be real.

"Some of us can recollect how, but a little over 50 years ago, a likely colored woman—especially if two or three young children were thrown in—would bring on an auction block from $400 to $500. A stalwart male negro worker would fetch from $500 to $800 And when they were skillful in trades, from $800 to $1,000.

"But more to the point is the cost of raising the newcomer from his childhood to his productive age.

"For feeding, clothing and the other necessaries of life, even in a country where existence is the cheapest, we would hardly calculate such cost at less than $700 per unit.

"The country losing this emigrant loses this sum of money. The country receiving him gains that value without any payment.

"On the basis of this value, namely, $300 per head, the largest emigrant crop that this country has had in any one year, has been worth to the nation $385,000,000. The emigrant crop of last year was worth but a little over $36,000,000, a deficit of $349,000,000

"This loss to the country is as great as the value of any of the leading crops except corn, and equals practically 80 per cent of that crop"

To Clean Combs.

Put two tablespoonfuls of ammonia in a basin of warm water, and let the comb remain in this solution about one-half hour. Remove, and wipe dry. The comb will be spotlessly clean.—Woman's Home Companion.

Explaining Baldness.

Dr C. T. Ewart, a Scotch scientist, says his researches have led him to believe that the loss of hair on man's head and other parts of his body is a certain indication of intellectual progress. "This fact," he maintains "explains to some extent the baldness which is always so prevalent among college professors and members of learned societies."

Forty Years in Stock.

The latest coincidence which has just come to my knowledge (writes a correspondent) befell an elderly gentleman well known in literary circles. Wishing to refer to a book he had used in his schooldays, he visited the second-hand shop in Charing Cross road which specializes in this class of work. On inquiry he found they had one copy of the volume in stock. When he opened it he found on the front page his own name written there well over forty years ago—Pall Mall Gazette.

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PUBLIC BUNCOED AS RESULT OF OYSTERS' "DRINKING" HABIT

SOME DEALERS VIOLATE FOOD AND DRUGS ACT BY CAUSING OYSTERS TO "DRINK" FRESH WATER.

Inspectors of the federal agricultural department, in giving special attention to the heavy traffic in oysters during the holiday season, have found that it is the practice of some dealers to add fresh water to shucked oysters in such a way as to greatly increase the size of the oyster The oyster, when brought in contact with fresh water for several hours, will "drink" or absorb considerable quantity of the water and will increase in size in exact proportion to the amount of water which he "drinks." As oysters are usually sold by the pint or quart, any increase in their size due to the addition of water enables the dealer to fill the pint or quart measure with a smaller number of oysters. In order to increase the size, oysters must be soaked in fresh water or water that is only slightly salty. They will not "drink" enough of the salt water in which they are grown to increase materially in bulk; nor will oysters increase in bulk to any extent from being washed in fresh water if they are allowed to remain for only a few minutes, necessary to cleanse them.

If four quarts of oysters and one quart of fresh water are placed in a 5-foot container and the mixture allowed to stand for several hours, there will be a marked change in the appearance of the contents of the container. To the naked eye there will appear to be five quarts of dry oysters, for the container will be full and there will be little or no water in sight, it being on the inside of the plump, succulent-looking oysters. The average purchaser has no means of detecting the addition of water. The chemist, however, by determining the amount of water in the oyster and comparing it with the amount that an oyster normally contains, can readily detect the adulteration.

The practice of increasing the bulk by the addition of water is not confined to shucked oysters. Some dealers float the oysters for several hours while yet in the shell in fresh water or water that is much less salty than the water in which the oysters were grown. During the process of floating, the oysters "drink" in the fresh water and increase in weight and bulk in exact proportion to the amount of water they drink or absorb, and thus a medium-sized oyster may be increase to the size of a "select"

The addition of water to oysters lowers their food value, and such oysters are adulterated under section 7 of the food and drugs act, which provides that food is adulterated if "a substance has been mixed and packed with it so as to reduce or lower or injuriously affect its quality or strength," and also if "a substance has been substituted in whole or in part for the article." The shipment of such oysters in interstate commerce or their sale in the District of Columbia or the territories of the United States constitute, in the department's opinion, a violation of the food and drugs act.

It is believed that increasing profits by selling water at the price of oysters is not countenanced by the better element of oyster dealers, who desire to have the practice stopped both because it is fraudulent and because it places the honest dealer at a disadvantage in selling his product at the price of the adulterated one. The Oyster Growers and Dealers' association of North America is co-operating with the department in stopping interstate traffic in oysters adulterated in this manner. State officials are also co-operating in order to stop the fraudulent practice within their states.

Considerable evidence is being collected by the inspectors of the department in reference to this traffic, and as soon as the evidence is complete prosecutions against those dealers who are violating the food and drugs act will be recommended to the department of justice.

Efficiency.

The truly efficient man is so much of a unit, so absorbed in his vocation, that the selfconsciousness due to selfanalysis, which eats up strength, is unknown to him. If a fellow does a thing well he is caught in the arms of a joy that takes his mind away from himself; if badly, he becomes corroded by anxiety.—Bishop Brent.

Not Sure of Herself.

Even members of the family had to look twice to be sure as to "who was who" of the twins. But they didn't put different colored hair ribbons on them until the day when grandma, coming into the living room, said to the small person looking out of the window, "Is it Josie or Rosie?" And the twin replied, "I fink it's Josie."

NEW PASSPORT RULES IN FORCE

Regulations May End Frauds That Have Been Practiced.

FULL DETAILS OF JOURNEY

Oath of Allegiance, Duplicate Affidavit and Three Photographs Are Now Required—Where One Is Going When Abroad and Why Must Be Explained in Full.

To prevent passport frauds the United States government has put into effect the new passport system authorized by President Wilson's executive order of Dec. 15 This requires a double application for a passport and three photographs of the applicant and provides for the introduction of an inspection system by which every passport will be countersigned by a United States treasury inspector when the traveler boards ship, as well as the establishment of a special passport bureau in New York city.

All applications for passports must be made in duplicate. These applications must be sent to Washington, where passports will be issued by the state department, as in the past, although in emergency passports may be issued by the bureau in New York.

The original application will be kept on file in Washington. When the passport is issued it will be sent to the bureau in New York, accompanied by the duplicate copy of the application. The applicant will be notified to call at the bureau for his passport. The duplicate application will be placed in the hands of an inspector for use in examining the holder of the passport when the latter boards ship to sail.

Must Tell About Intended Trip.

The application must name the countries it is intended to visit and give the object of the trip. The passport will contain this blank: "I intend to leave the United States from the port of ——, sailing on board the —— on ——, 1916." which must be filled in. No passport will be issued to a person who fails to state the vessel on which he intends to sail. Passports will be good only on the designated steamers.

One of the three photographs required to be furnished in each case will be retained in the state department in Washington, another will be attached to the passport and the third to the duplicate application to be used by the inspector. When the applicant calls at the New York bureau for his passport the photograph on the passport will be consulted; again, he must be checked up by photograph when he boards ship to sail.

The new requirements have been adopted as a result of the recent passport frauds They are intended to give the American passport greater value and prestige as well as to prevent fraud The reforms decided upon are based partially on reports sent to Washington by Richard W. Flournoy, chief of the bureau of citizenship of the state department, who has spent several months abroad studying the passport situation as affecting Americans.

How Passports Are Issued.

No one but the secretary of state may grant and issue passports in the United States, and he is empowered to refuse them in his discretion. Passports are not issued by American diplomatic and consular officers abroad, except in cases of emergency, and a citizen who is abroad and desires to procure a passport must apply therefor through the nearest diplomatic or consular officer to the secretary of state.

The applicant must take the oath of allegiance to the United States, and his application must be accompanied by a description of himself.

In addition to these requirements, "a person born in the United States in a place where births are recorded will be required to submit a birth certificate with his application" In the case of a person born abroad whose father was a native citizen of the United States application must show that the father was born in the United States, resided therein and was a citizen at the time of the applicant's birth The department may require that this affidavit be supported by that of one other citizen acquainted with the facts

A naturalized citizen must transmit his certificate of naturalization or a duly certified copy of the court record thereof with his application.

A passport expires six months from the date of its issuance. A new one will be issued upon a new application accompanied by the old passport, and may be renewed abroad by a diplomatic or principal consular officer of the United States. No passport will be renewed more than twice.

American citizens going direct to France from the United States are required to bear passports vised by French diplomatic or consular officers in the United States. An American citizen who sojourns in some other foreign country before visiting France should inquire of the American or French diplomatic representatives in such foreign country concerning the special formalities which it will be necessary for him to fulfill before entering French territory.

Russian regulations require that a passport must state definitely the names of the places in Russia which the holder expects to visit and the objects of his visits thereto.

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BRETTON INN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Burnham S. Colburn, of Detroit, arrived on Saturday, joining their family in one of the Prettyman cottages. Many of their Detroit and New York friends will be at the Inn, with which Mrs. Colburn have been identified for over a dozen years.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Healy, of Sioux City, are greatly enjoying a few weeks by the sea. They are friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Milligan, whose pretty home is on the river front in the village of Ormond.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Whitten, of Holderness, N. H., arrived on Sunday, and are at Bretton Inn during the preparation of their cottage for occupancy.

Dr W. M. Stinson, of Jacksonville with a party of friends motoring down the East Coast, stopped at Bretton Inn for luncheon on Thursday, and were delighted with the beauty of the new annex.

A charming bridal couple are Mr. and Mrs. Pike, of Derby Line, Vt., and they are especially enjoying the fine surf bathing

Everyone is delighted with Mrs C M. Poor's return to the Inn. Her son, George T. Poor, is with her for a few days, and will come again for the month of March.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Piper, of Winnipeg, have taken a cottage for the season, expecting to remain until late in April.

Mrs. Reed and Mrs. James H. Eckles, of Chicago, arrived on Friday, and are here for the season. They are especial favorites among the regular patrons of the Inn.

The golf course is becoming animated with players. None attracts more attention than pretty Miss Elisabeth Rathbone, of Rochester. Her diligence and devotion to form promise to place her in the front rank of the juvenile players.

Great Truth.

You can't make a gentleman out of a frock coat and a silk hat.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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See Note A	......	......	5.00 PM	......	Ar Havana Lv	......	9 30 AM	......	......	See Note B

*Trains 85 and 86 are not operated south of Miami on Sundays.

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Note B—P. & O. steamships sail from Havana Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday only

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DAYTONA

J. C. Stowers was in Daytona for a day or two, having stopped over in this city on his return to Palm Beach from Jacksonville, where he had been attending a convention of bankers.

C. J. Zeigler, chief electrician of the Florida East Coast railway, was in Daytona between trains Saturday afternoon, stopping over at this place on his way from Key West to St. Augustine.

Mrs. C. R. Simonds, who came to Daytona New Year's day with Mr. Simonds and remained after his departure for a visit with relatives at Holly Hill, rejoined Mr. Simonds in Jacksonville Saturday.

Miss Harriett W. Lynch, who had been visiting her father and sisters at their home on Fairview avenue for the past two weeks, departed this morning on her return to Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. C. G. Mathews, who had been visiting the family of her brother, S. H. Peck, in this city, returned by train Friday to Cocoa to rejoin her sister, Mrs. E. P. Porcher, and family, at that place.

Mrs. Charles Lockwood, writing the Gazette-News company from Lake Geneva, Wis., January 7, says: "Please send my paper to 442 Magnolia avenue, as I will be in Daytona on the 14th."

An automobile belonging to Alfred E. Donnelly, the well-known real estate man, became disabled last night on Daytona Beach, and had to be towed into the Central auto garage by S. B. Green this morning.

E. L. Bond, who had been at home over Sunday, returned to Cocoa Monday afternoon, taking with him for employment on the stone work of the Porcher residence, Andrew Brachhold, Louis Uhlein and R. R. Smallwood.

Miss Antoinette Foltz went to Jacksonville Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Allen and daughter, Miss Martha Allen, as their guest for the automobile trip. She will remain in Jacksonville for a short visit with a college friend.

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Little Miss Clare Intemann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Intemann, underwent a severe throat operation at Dr. Bohannon's hospital last week, but came through the operation nicely and has since improved very satisfactorily at the home of her parents on North Beach street.

Little Miss Isabel Fletcher, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Fletcher, of St. Augustine, came down from that city Saturday evening for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Miller, at their home on Cypress street, while Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher were making a trip to Jacksonville.

The charming Miss Helena Edmonds, of Atlanta, Ga., has completed her holiday visit with her uncle, Richard H. Edmonds, of Ridgewood avenue, and returned to her home in Atlanta, Saturday. Miss Edmonds expects to resume her studies in the Woman's college at Spartanburg, S. C., shortly.

Mrs. George A. Alden, of Andover, Mass., who is touring in her automobile through Florida, is spending a few days with her former school friend, Miss Hattie W. Brown, at 29 South Palmetto avenue. This is Mrs. Alden's first visit to Florida, and she is a staunch believer in New England climates, but she graciously admits that Florida, especially Daytona, is very fair and charming.

Mrs. J. F. Capron and daughter, Mrs. Anna Pethcal, mother and sister of Mrs. Holmes S. Rightmire, arrived Friday evening from Binghamton, N. Y., to spend the season with Mrs. Rightmire and family at the First Baptist church parsonage on North Palmetto avenue. Leaving home amidst snow and ice they find it difficult to realize that the beautiful weather prevailing here is the usual winter weather of this section.

R. E. Camp, traveling passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line railway, was a Daytona visitor Monday in the interest of that road. Mr. Camp, whose headquarters is in Jacksonville, was making his initial trip along the East Coast in his official capacity of traveling passenger agent for the Seaboard. Possessed of a pleasing personality, Mr. Camp will undoubtedly make friends readily in his new territory.

H. D. Fluhart came over from DeLand Friday to attend the funeral this morning of H. F. Stewart at Seabreeze. He returned to the county seat this afternoon. Mr. Fluhart and family formerly resided here.

Mrs. Robert Cunningham, of Tennessee, came to Daytona Monday to join her daughter, Miss Adelaide, who is a teacher in the Daytona high school, and they have taken apartments at 36 South Palmetto avenue.

Miss Alberta Lourcey, trained nurse, who has been engaged on cases in this city for some time past, went to New Smyrna Tuesday to spend the night with her mother and return to Daytona tomorrow.

Editor C. H. Walton of the East Coast Advocate, of Titusville, was meeting friends in Daytona Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Walton, who came to Daytona to attend the opening ball at the Clarendon hotel, returned to Titusville Monday evening.

A. B. Gormley was able to resume his duties at the Daytona postoffice on Monday, but Cecil Myers was confined to his home, as the result of a severe cold. Mr. Gormley had been suffering from a severe case of poisoning by poison oak or ivy.

Louis Fine and daughter, Miss Ida, and A. Badanes, of Miami, and Mrs. Woolfson, of Key West, arrived in the city Tuesday afternoon via automobile, in which they came all the way up the East Coast. They are friends of Nat Goldman, proprietor of the Quality Shop.

E. S. Hall came up from Cocoa Friday afternoon and E. L. Bond returned from that place this morning. Mr. Bond is engaged on the mason work of the residence which Mr. Hall is building for E. P. Porcher, work now being under way on the foundations.

W. E. Sullivan, president of the First National bank of this city, is enjoying a visit from his uncle, D. L. Sullivan, of New Liberty, Ky., who arrived in Daytona Thursday of last week and will be here with Mr. Sullivan and family all or a part of the season.

Mrs. Albert Bennett, who had been with Mr. Bennett since Sunday at their hotel, the Bennett, on North Ridgewood avenue, returned to Jacksonville Tuesday. Mrs. Bennett gave Mr. Bennett a pleasant surprise Sunday morning, having arrived from Jacksonville Friday night without notifying him of her coming. Her short visit was one of combined pleasure and business.

A. V. Robson, cashier for the Gazette-News company, will leave tomorrow for Quitman, Ga. Mr. Robson is the official court stenographer of the city court at that place and is also the superior court commissioner for Brooks county, Georgia. He will return to Daytona during the course of next week.

All the different grades of the schools are busy preparing their exhibits, which will appear at the county fair at DeLand, to be held the last week in January. Friday, the 28th, will be reserved as "Educational Day," when all the schools will be closed to enable the pupils and teachers to attend the fair.

C. A. Webster arrived Wednesday evening from Milford, N. H., and will spend the season here with his sister, Mrs. W. A. Bennett, and husband at their home on Volusia avenue. Mr. Webster was in Daytona for a number of winters, assisting his nephew, Capt. L. E. Ellenwood, when the latter was engaged in the Tomoka river excursion business. Mr. Webster has not been here for the past two or three seasons, and his friends are giving him a cordial welcome.

At a meeting of the executive board of the Parent-Teacher association Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Dean Smith, it was voted that the matter of dues be dispensed with. It was decided that each parent and friend of the school is entitled to membership, and that anyone present at a meeting has a perfect right to act in the capacity of a parent. Principal Marks was strongly in favor of doing away with dues for membership, and hopes that this fact will strengthen the association and bring about splendid results.

Rev. J. L. Wilson, who has been in the city for a few days with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Eugene Johnson, and Mrs. Wilson at Mr. and Mrs. Johnson's home on Fairview avenue, returned Wednesday to his homestead on the old Kings road at Harwood. Mr. Wilson says work has begun on the Harwood place and a force of men is engaged in clearing up the grounds around the old Harwood mansion. A large acreage is to be cleared and planted to orange

SAINT AUGUSTINE'S NEW POSTMASTER IS C. F. HOPKINS, SR.

That C. F. Hopkins, Sr., will be the next postmaster for the city of St. Augustine was announced by the Record last Saturday afternoon. Mr. Hopkins was nominated for the office by President Wilson on Friday last, and his name sent to the senate for confirmation. Continuing, the Record said: "There will be no delay in the ratification of the president's appointment when it comes before the senate as Mr. Hopkins is on the best of terms with Florida's two senators.

"The appointment of Mr. Hopkins to the office came as a pleasant surprise yesterday, despite the fact that he and his friends were fully convinced that he was the choice of Congressman Sears. The news did not come direct to Mr. Hopkins, but through the insurance agencies who notified their agents here of the appointment and instructed them to see Mr. Hopkins relative to his bond. The telegrams began arriving shortly before 4 o'clock and the few friends of Mr. Hopkins who learned of his good fortune hastened to call him on the telephone to extend congratulations."

FLORIDA BANKERS' ASSO. WILL MEET AT CLARENDON

The State Bankers' Association of Florida will hold its annual convention this year at the Clarendon hotel in Seabreeze probably on March 31. Arrangements have already been made by the hotel management to entertain the members royally during their visit, which is to last three days. There will be quite a few bankers from other parts of the country also attending the convention.

At least 300 guests will register at the Clarendon, and perhaps more. The meetings are to be held in the music room, which accommodates a large audience and boasts excellent acoustic properties.

The bankers are expected on Friday, March 31, and the convention will be actually over as far as business is concerned, by Saturday evening. The party does not intend to break up, however, until the first of the week. Some of the bankers and their friends may decide to make even a longer visit.

E. L. Potter, president and managing director of the Clarendon Hotel company, said yesterday, in talking with a News representative: "We are going to give the convention the time of its life. The members will never forget it."

CANAL AGAIN OPEN FOR BOATS, REPORT FROM PALM BEACH

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

Capt. W. B. McCoy received a telegram Monday morning stating that the steamer U. S. A. passed Palm Beach at 10:00 a. m. Sunday morning on her way to Miami. This would indicate that the obstructions existing in the canal north of Palm Beach have been removed as it is also likely has been the one south of that city. H. E. Pence, it seems, received a telegram to this effect a few days ago. Mr. Pence took the matter up with interested persons in Miami and a suction dredge was sent out from Palm Beach early last week, to open the obstructed places, and probably accomplished the work before the end of the week.

EQUALLED SPEED OF TRAIN FROM JAX.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

Leaving Jacksonville 15 minutes ahead of the train which arrives in Daytona at 12:40 last Friday Chas. A. Clark drove his National automobile through to Daytona and registered at the Desland hotel before the arrival of guests who came on the 12:40 train. Mr. Clark was accompanied by D. S. McGraw. They made two stops on the way, one of 15 minutes at Daytona Beach. Their actual running time was the same as the train schedule.

While You're Making Plans.

Do not allow the making of plans for tomorrow to interfere with doing what you planned yesterday to do today.—Youth's Companion.

DAYTONA TO HAVE THREE ELECTIONS IN AS MANY WEEKS

PRIMARY SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 26; GENERAL ELECTION FEBRUARY 8; CHARTER BOARD ELECTION FEBRUARY 9.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

Elections, elections—plenty of 'em, and then some! If you've any doubt whatever about it, slant your eyes downward:'

On January 25, pursuant to a call for a primary shortly to be issued by City Clerk A. McF. Porter, the qualified voters of Daytona, or as many of them as may elect to participate, will register their preference of the condidates offering for nomination as commissioners, four of whom, under a provision of the recently-ratified charter, are to be named.

Two weeks later, on January 8, will be held the general election at which will be chosen three commissioners who will administer the affairs of the municipality until their successors shall have been elected and inducted into office.

Within a few hours after the votes cast in the general election shall have been counted and the result declared will come Wednesday, February 9, the date set for the election of five charter commissioners, whose duties it will be, if the proposition carries, to do the work implied by their name.

E. L. Bond, E. W. Greene and W. G. Hobbs will act as inspectors and F. S. Rodgers as clerk at the elections to be held on January 25 and February 8, while at that to be held on February 9 the inspectors will be F. D. Spring, O. W. Stevens and E. L. Bond, with F. S. Rodgers clerk.

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT DIES AT HOLLY HILL

MRS. L. E. CAVE DIED EARLY SUNDAY MORNING—SERVICES HELD SUNDAY AND REMAINS FORWARDED TO TENNESSEE.

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Cave, wife of Lotan E. Cave, died at their home in Holly Hill at about 4:00 o'clock Sunday morning.

Funeral services were held at the residence at 10:00 o'clock Sunday morning, Rev. S. L. Jackson, pastor of the First Christian church of this city, officiating, and the remains were brought to the undertaking establishment of the Bingham & Maley company to be prepared for transportation to Harrison, Tenn., for interment in the family burial ground. Mrs. Cave, who was but 41 years of age, had been in ill health for several years. Her condition became alarming last week, but she rallied and for a time seemed somewhat improved.

Mrs. Cave is survived by her husband and seven small children, four boys and three girls, the oldest a girl of 16 years. She is also survived by her mother and other relatives at Harrison, where her father, Judge Bell, now deceased, was for many years judge of the criminal court of Hamilton county, of which Harrison is the county seat.

Mr. Cave was too ill to take the remains to Harrison and the body was shipped by express.

The bereaved husband and children and other relatives will have the deep sympathy of many friends in this city and vicinity as well as at Holly Hill, where Mr. and Mrs. Cave have resided for the past 16 years or longer.

Statue of Liberty.

"Miss Liberty" is 110 feet tall from the heel to the top of the head. From the base to the top of the torch the height is 152 feet. The statue is constructed of copper sheets about one-tenth of an inch in thickness. The total weight of 440,000 pounds, and the cost was a million francs, or $200,000.

Indigestion.

Indigestion follows rye bread only because of the yeast in it. The temperature of the intestines is the most favorable possible for producing a renewed "rising" of the yeast, and through this chemical process the intestines are poisoned and other foods, notably the acids from fruits and some vegetable, add to the trouble.

Fact Easy to Ascertain.

You will discover that most men are all right, if you only take the trouble to ask them.

By No Means.

Fighting in the air doesn't necessarily raise the plane of warfare.—Wall Street Journal.

Optimistic Thought.

It is bitter to do good than to be

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Through the Looking Glass.

If you listen to two men discussing eastern races—the Chinese in particular—you will invariably hear them remark with that weighty tone of finality in which people are wont to deliver their obiter dicta: "The Chinaman is an enigma, an insoluble mystery; behind his impenetrable mask there lurks we know not what curious variant of the human race." But does it ever occur to us that in the "barbarian" or "foreign devil" the Chinaman finds a problem of even greater perplexity? The fact that all our books begin at the wrong end and that our lines are printed horizontally, instead of vertically, is to him overwhelming evidence of the topsy-turviness of our minds; that we shake a woman by the hand is, in his eyes, most unseemly; while our dancing, with its lack of dignity and stately grace, suggests to him nothing less than a war dance of savages. The practice of walking with a stick shows is to be in very sooth a most ferocious and uncivilized people, for who would carry a stick save for the purpose of beating innocent folk?

Hard Job.

An Atlanta wife sues for a divorce because her husband is a gambler, but reading the entire story we find in the concluding paragraph that he generally loses all his money. It is hard for anybody to love a loser.—Houston Post.

Wasted Labor

Merely mentioning a prominent cit for the presidency is enough to set him looking over his private score card for the error records.—Washington Post.

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Church Notes

Christian Science—

Christian Science services will be held every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the Woman's club room in the Gomez building on Magnolia street.

Trinity Ladies Aid—

The meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Trinity church was held this week at the home of Mrs. C. E. Ebenbeck, with a good attendance.

M. E. Church, South, Aid—

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church, South, was held Tuseday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. O. Vaughn on Orange street. There was a good attendance.

Baptist Ladies Aid—

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. C. Armstrong, with a good attendance.

First Baptist Church—

Sunday school at 10 a. m.; sermon at 11 a. m.; B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m.; sermon at 7:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All are invited to worship with us.

B. F. GREEN, Pastor.

Trinity M. E. Church—

On north Faulkner street, oldest church in town.

Sunday school at 10 a. m., E. L. Greer, superintendent.

Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

A cordial welcome is extended to all. T. B. LAWRENCE, Patsor.

Catholic Church—

Services twice in the month on the second and fourth Sundays. On these Sundays mass is said at 10 a. m. and evening devotions at 7:30. Bible history class at 4 p. m. on the Fridays preceding the second and fourth Sundays. Catechism class at 9 a. m. on the Saturdays preceding the second and fourth Sundays. Children's mass at 7 a. m. on the Saturday preceding the second and fourth Sundays. Mass at 7 a. m. on the Mondays following the second and fourth Sundays. Sunday school every Sunday at 9 a. m.

FATHER BARRY.

Congregational Church—

Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. each Sunday. Midweek prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7 p. m. Mrs. C. W. Pennell, organist, supported by a volunteer choir, which delivers appropriate music and songs each Sunday. Our aim is to preach religion that satisfies. Visitors welcome. A. BELL, Pastor.

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court, Sam'l D. Jordan; superintendent of public instruction, C. R. M. Sheppard; county assessor of taxes, S. B. Wilson; tax collctcor, D. P. Smith; county treasurer, J. J. Vinzant; supervisor of registration, J. R. Wetherell.

"The county commissioners of Volusia county are J. LeRoy Harden of Orange City, M. M. Bond of Lake Helen, J. G. Cade of Pierson, J. D. Maley of Daytona and T. J. Murray of New Smyrna.

"New Smyrna is one of the earliest settlements on the East Coast.

"It is a substantial town of over 2,000 population, located in the extreme southern part of Volusia county. In most respects it is a progressive city, and while it has never experienced a boom, it has enjoyed a substantial growth.

"New Smyrna's principal business asset is the freight and passenger division of the Florida East Coast railway, it being the first division point south of Jacksonville. Here also the Orange City branch of the Florida East Coast connects with the main line.

"The attractive features of New Smyrna are along the main street with modern and substantial business buildings on either side and its beautiful residence streets lined with big oak trees festooned with Spanish moss. New Smyrna is also a town with many beautiful homes and never fails to favorably impress visitors. For the most part the streets are hard-surfaced with shell and the sidewalk system is extensive. The city owns its waterworks and sewers, and private corporations supply electric lights, ice and telephone. The water supply comes from artesian wells and is first class. New Smyrna has a number of good hotels and boarding houses and although it has never made much effort to attract tourists it is really a very desirable city in which to spend the winter season.

"New Smyrna has two banks with combined deposits of nearly $300,000. Two weekly newspapers, the News and the Breeze, cover the territory thoroughly. The land and colonization company of New Smyrna is the Indian Springs Land company. New Smyrna is located two miles from the Atlantic ocean, which is reached by automobile busses. The fishing and hunting in the vicinity is excellent.

"New Smyrna is well provided for in the matter of public schools, a bond issue of $50,000 having been recently voted for the purpose of building a fine new school building. This place is noted for its heavy shipments of fish at certain seasons of the year and besides this produces naval stores quite extensively. There is some lumber cut in the vicinity.

"New Smyrna is located in one of the best citrus fruit sections along the East Coast. Upwards of 100,000 boxes of oranges and grapefruit are shipped from this point each season. There is much excellent land in the vicinity of the town that is adapted to fruit growing, trucking and general farming. Up to this time drainage facilities have been limited, but recently a drainage district was formed which will reclaim a large area west of the city. W. H. Newell is mayor and F. A. Newell clerk."

HAWKS PARK

Mrs. Frank Levitt is improving at the Shelter sanitorium and expects to be home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Button have taken Mrs M. Knapp's house for the winter and expect to take boarders and roomers during the season.

The ladies have formed an Aid society for our Union church, with the following officers: President, Mrs. Morgan; vice president, Mrs. Parker; secretary, Mrs. Wiggins; treasurer, Mrs. Morse.

Mrs. J. S. Bradford of South Jacksonville, sister of the late Mrs. H. W. Mitchell, came down with the body of her sister Monday and is staying a few days with Mr. Mitchell, helping him to get his home opened up after his summer's absence.

The Village Improvement association held the annual election of officers last Wednesday night, the election resulting as follows:

President—Mr. Crawford.
Vice President—Mr. Preston.
Treasurer—Tom Roycroft.
Secretary—H. I. Hamilton.

Miss Nettie Crawford was made a life member of the V. I. A. and elected librarian.

RID TREES OF MOSS
DURING THE WINTER.

Winter offers opportunity to rid trees, vines and shrubbery of moss, lichens and even Spanish moss. On a small scale plants may be rid of these pests by scraping the branches and trunks and pulling the moss from them. This method is expensive of time and labor. In most cases, according to P. H. Rolfs, director of the University of Florida experiment station, the farmer will find it advantageous to use copper sulfate solution.

The plants should be sprayed only during the dormant season with this solution, else it will burn the foliage. A pound of coppr sulfate in 15 gallons of water may be used while the trees or vines are dormant. As spring approachesh a pound of the copper sulfate in 25 gallons of water is all that can be used. Even this solution is too strong for foliage. This same spray is good for removing green slime from walks, walls and similar places.

If it becomes necessary to spray leaves and plants to which copper sulfate is caustic, it is best to use bordeaux mixture. Even Spanish moss is killed under certain circumstances by bordeaux.

Mrs. J. W. Rowe, son Lindsley, and daughter Mae, spent the week end with relatives in Fernandina.

"Sass from Life's Garden," was the subject of a lecture delivered Monday night in the Congregational church by Rev. Elmer Willis Sarl, pastor of the Tourist church at Seabreeze. The audience was not a large one, but the speaker's quaint philosophy was well received.

LEGAL NOTICES

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

DeLand, Fla., Dec. 29, 1915.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Criminal Court of Record in and for Volusia County, Florida, in a suit pending in said Court wherein the State of Florida for the use and benefit of Volusia County is Plaintiff, and C. H. Braswell and H. H. Henderson are Defendants, I have levied upon as the property of the said defendants C. H. Braswell and H. H. Henderson and will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, in front of the Court House door at DeLand, in said County, on Monday, the 7th day of February, A. D. 1916, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, towit:

N 100 ft. of Lot G Map book 4, page 53, part of V. Lowd's New Smyrna. Lot M Map book 4, page 53, part of V. Lowd's New Smyrna. E½ of NE¼ of NW¼ S of R. R. and NW of Maytown Branch. Lot 22 Sams' Sub; Lots 5 and 7, Block 4, Daugherty's New Smyrna.

Said property will be sold to satisfy said execution in the sum of Fifty Four Dollars and Forty Four Cents ($54.44) and interest and cost of proceedings thereon.

E. L. SMITH, Sheriff,
Volusia County, Florida.
By GEO. N. MESSIMER, D. S.

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AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance providing for the registration of births and deaths, the keeping of proper record thereof and the reporting of the same to the State Board of Health, and prescribing penalties for violations of duties herein provided in connection therewith.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW SMYRNA, FLORIDA.

Section 1. That the City Clerk shall be local registrar of vital statistics and it shall be his duty to supply to all physicians, midwives, undertakers and others requiring them for use, blank certificates for the registration of births and deaths which shall be of standard form approved by the State Board of Health, and to receive, and make copies of such certificates, and transmit the originals to the State Board of Haith on the tenth (10) day of each month, and to issue burial, removal or other permits upon the receipt of complete, satisfactory and properly executed certificates of death; and no dead body of a human being whose death occurs, or whose body is found in this city shall be interred, otherwise disposed of, removed from the city, or held more than seventy-two hours after death, without a burial, removal or other permit issued by the City Clerk in advance of such interment, other disposition or removal.

Section 2. That it shall be the duty of the undertaker or person acting as such to obtain the certificates of death have it filled out with respect to the personal particulars, present it to the attending physician for the medical certificate or cause of death, and obtain the burial, removal or other permit from the City Clerk; Provided that when there was no attending physician, the certificate shall be referred to the health officer or coroner for statement of cause of death.

Section 3. That it shall be the duty of the physician, midwife or person acting as midwife, attending a case of confinement in this city to file a complete satisfactory and properly executed certificate of birth with the City Clerk within three (3) days thereafter; Provided that when there was no physican or midwife in attendance, then it shall be the duty of the parent, householder, or owner of the premises where the birth occured to file such certificate.

Section 4. That any physcian, midwife, undertaker or other person who violates or fails to comply with any of the provisions or duties of this ordinance, or any section thereof, shall upon trial and conviction thereof, be punished by fine not exceeding one hundred ($100) dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 5. This ordinance shall go into effect upon its final passage by the City Council of the City of New Smyrna and approval of the Mayor and upon being published in New Smyrna News for a period of thirty days.

Adopted by the City Council this 4th day of January A. D. 1916.

M. A. BRUNSON
Pres. City Council.

Attest: F. A. NEWELL, City Clerk.

Approved by me this 5th day of January A. D. 1916.

W. H. NEWELL
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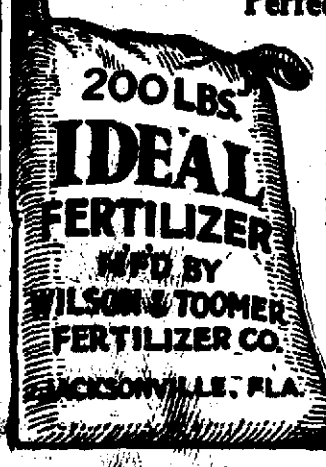

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